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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>Larry Schultz</u> for <u>METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTENT PROMOTION VIA A NETWORK</u>.

- Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application **NOT BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.
- [X] Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure 2 for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent.

Also enclosed are:

- [X] ______ sheet(s) of [] formal [X] informal drawing(s);
- [] a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is [] hereby made to _ filed in _ on _;

[] in the declaration;

- [] a certified copy of the priority document;
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- [] an Assignment document;
- [] an Information Disclosure Statement:
- [] a patent application bibliographic data sheet; and
- [] Other: _
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[X] also is enclosed [] will follow.

[X] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence -- This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to 09/551,736 filed in the USA on April 18, 2000; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.--



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--This application is a continuation of International Application No. _ filed on _, which International Application [] was [] was not published by the International Bureau in English on _.--.

[X] Small entity status is hereby claimed.

[X] The filing fee has been calculated as follows [] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

CLAIMS					
	No. Of Claims		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00 (101)
Total Claims	36	MINUS 20 =		× \$18.00 (103) =	288.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$80.00 (102) =	
If multiple dependent cla	aims are prese	nted, add \$270.00	(104)		
Total Application Fee					998.00
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					499.00
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TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					499.00

[X]	This application is being filed without a filing fee.	Issuance of a Notice to File Missing
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